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## PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

to the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: August J. Borschke, Dwayne W. Beeson, Sharon P. Dunlap, Thomas A. Perfetti for: Smokable Rod for a Cigarette. Enclosed are:

- ☒ 2 sheet(s) of drawings, 78 pages of application (including title page), and the following Appendices: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Declaration.
- ☐ Power of Attorney.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Assignment transmittal letter and Assignment of the invention to: \_\_\_\_\_
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Claims as Filed	Col. 1	Col. 2
For	No. Filed	No. Extra
Basic Fee		
Total Claims	127-20	107
Indep. Claims	5-3	2
Multiple Dependent Claims Present		

\*If the difference in col. 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in col. 2.

Small Entity	
Rate	Fee
	\$ 375
x\$9=	\$
x\$42=	\$
+\$140=	\$
Total	\$

Other Than Small Entity	
Rate	Fee
	\$ 750
107x\$18=	\$1,926
2x\$84=	\$168
+\$280=	\$280
Total	\$3,124

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